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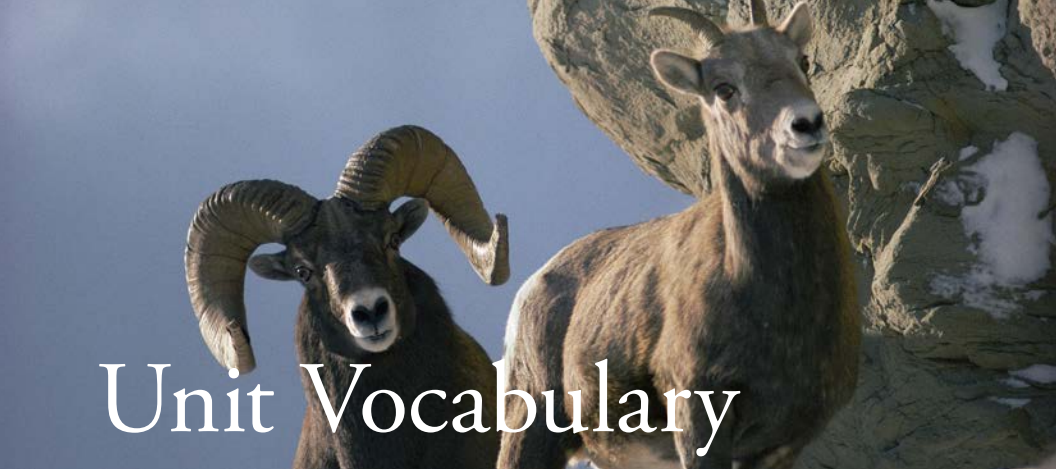
# The Earth Rocks



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# Lesson 1

## mineral

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A solid material found naturally on Earth, such as quartz.



## pebble

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A small stone made smooth by weathering.





## rock

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A solid, hard material from Earth's crust that is made up of minerals.



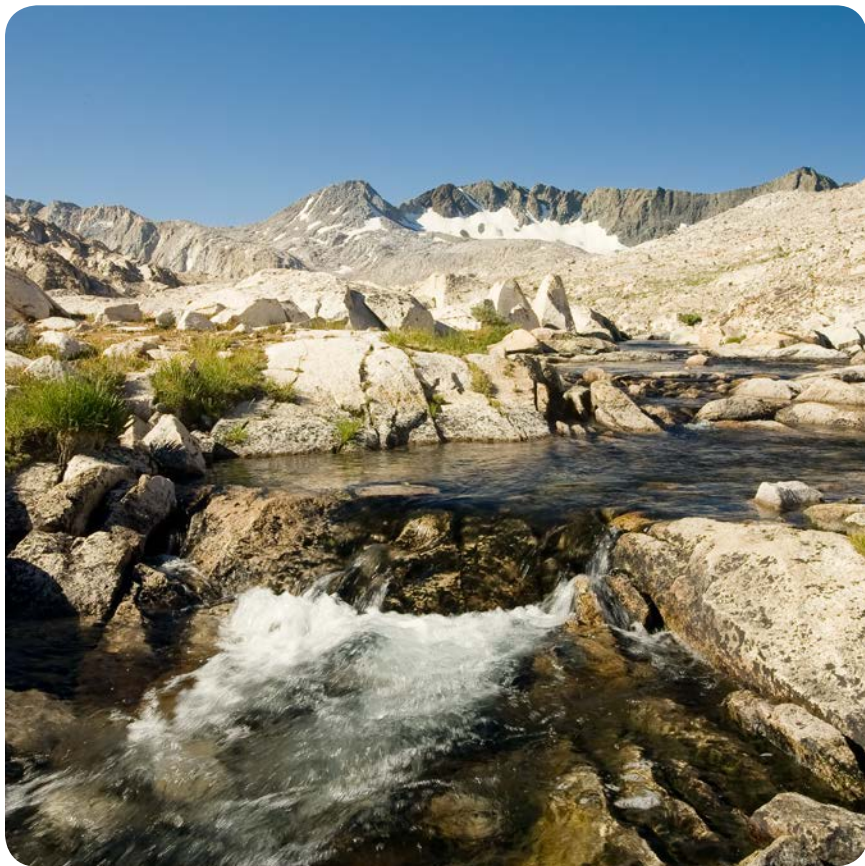


# Lesson 2

## ecosystem

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A group of living and nonliving things that are found together and affect each other.



## habitat

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The place where an animal or plant lives and meets its needs.



## tidepool

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A rocky habitat along the shore of the ocean, filled with water during high tides.





# Lesson 3

## gravel

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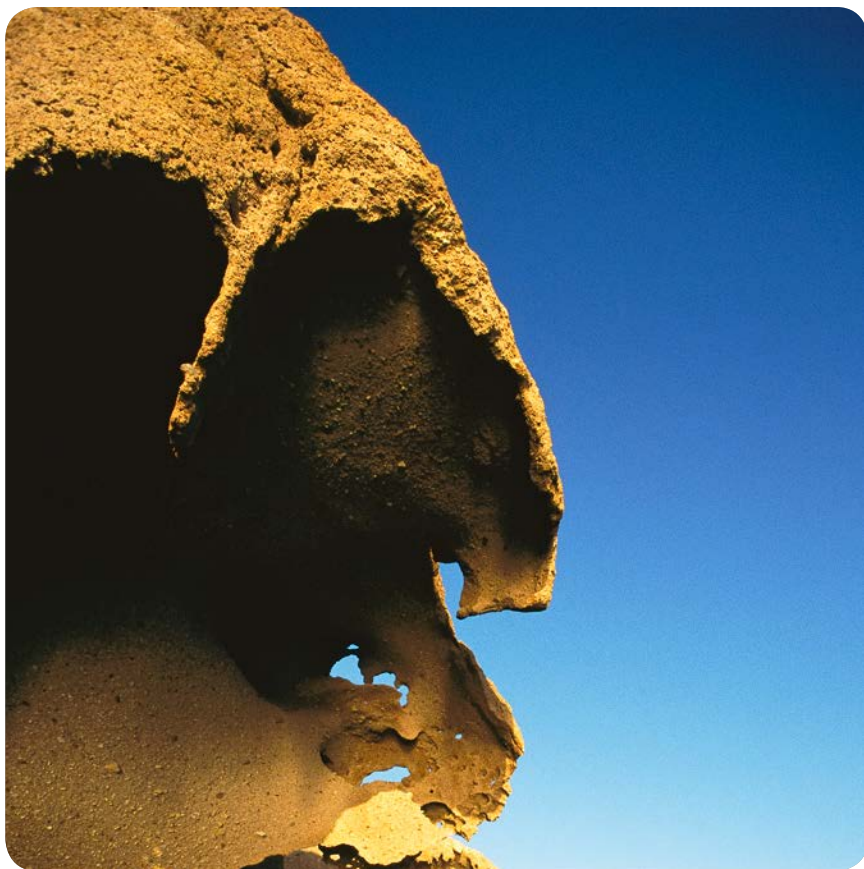
A mix of pebbles or small rocks.



## weathering

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The breaking down of rocks by weather, water, and plant roots.



# Lesson 4

## mining

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Taking minerals out of the earth.





## property

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A description of how something looks, feels, or smells such as, softness, hardness, or color.

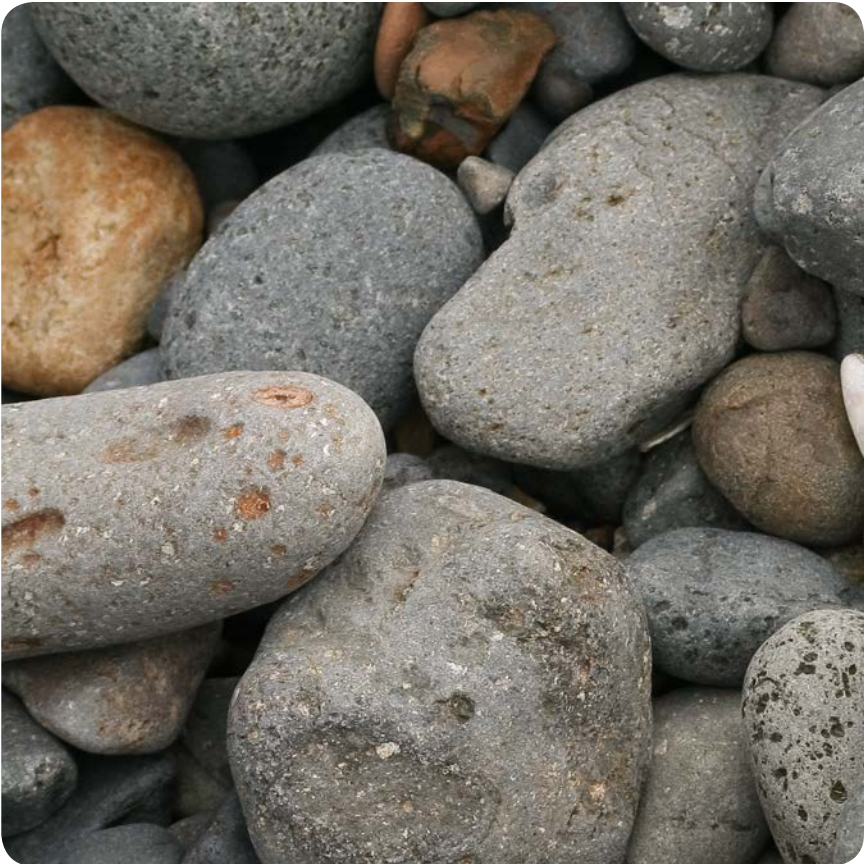


# Lesson 5

## hardness

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How easy or hard it is to scratch a rock or mineral.



## luster

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How shiny a rock or mineral is.



# Lesson 6

## manufacture

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To make a product, often with machines in a factory.





## process

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The series of steps taken in doing or making something.



## product

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Something that is made or grown.











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